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Sent: Wed 10/20/2010 6:03:21 AM Subject: Re: Fw: Follow up and thanks

Hi Palmer,

I saw the message, A few of the letters are on my desk for response. All the R10 ARU folks are retreating in Sand Point, ID this week. I can call next week. I imagine you know that there is a briefing schedules for Lisa on Nov 4. And some prebriefings with Bob S. and Dennis M. I guess we can catch up next week.

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Subject: Fw: Follow up and thanks

I hope you are well. Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy and wading through hundreds of emails trying to catch up. I thought you would be interested in this one regarding Pebble. It appears the supporters of the project are organizing to brief principals here at EPA HQ sometime in the near future.

[&]quot;To protect your rivers, protect your mountains."

Let me know if you have time this week to talk, as I would like to discuss a number of things.

Thanks, Palmer

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---- Original Message -----From: Gregory Peck

Sent: 10/13/2010 04:39 PM EDT To: Peter Silva; Nancy Stoner

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Pete/Nancy

Attached is a message from Duane Gibson, a local attorney representing the proponents of the Pebble Mine. Duane used to work on the Hill for Sen Ted Stevens and now works for the Livingston Group headed by former Congressman Livingston (LA). Duane attaches information about the mine and is requesting the opportunity to bring principals from the mining company in for a briefing on their current plans. He indicated the Administrator took time during her recent trip to AK to meet with these folks. It

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I also got a call from staff in the Alaska Governor's office forwarded by OCIR. I'll call them back and provide you with a summary of that discussion.

Best, Greg

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From: "Gibson, Duane" <dgibson@livingstongroupdc.com>

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Date: 10/13/2010 03:28 PM

Subject: Follow up and thanks

Greg--

Thanks for returning my call today. That was appreciated. As promised, here are a few letters from tribes that indicate support for letting the process (permitting) for the Pebble Project go forward, meaning let them design a project, present it, and lay out the justifications. I thought you'd like to see these as they counterbalance somewhat the views of some who seem to have come to a conclusion already.

In addition, the letter from the governor is attached, as it is particularly well stated.

Lastly, I included a legal memo on 404c that we gave to the Regional Administrator. It is really quite good and worth the read.

Please let me know if anything comes up about the project. I will be back with you in a few weeks to set up a briefing and then we can do one with the Assistant Administrator when the executives of the company are next in DC.

Thanks.

Duane

(I've also attached my contact information.)

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